

THOMPSON ITEMS

Diphtheria Scare Over—Little Lucille Baker's Mishap

Thompson, Mo., Nov. 10.—The diphtheria scare is about over. No one else has taken it up to the present time.

Mrs. J. A. Childers suffered a paralytic stroke of her right side Friday night. The entire neighborhood is hoping for her speedy recovery.

Sister Nelson Trimble, of Columbia changed pulpits with her husband, she preaching at Salt River Sunday and Sunday night and he going to Renick. Mrs. Trimble preached two fine sermons; they were enjoyed by all who were fortunate enough to be there.

Mrs. Alvin Sellars visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Brewer, of Mexico and attended the round-up. Two automobile loads of people came out from Mexico Monday and surprised Mrs. R. A. Kemp with a birthday dinner, they bringing all kinds of good things to eat.

Walter Cummings and wife of Columbia are visiting Thos. Squires and family this week.

Little Lucille Baker while sawing at school fell and broke both bones of her arm.

There will be a pie supper at Payne school house Saturday night. The protracted meeting closed at Groves Chapel Sunday morning. There were seven additions to the church. A union Sunday school convention was held at Hopewell Tuesday night. Mrs. Jas. Beatty is visiting her parents, Brish Daniel and wife, of near Centralia, a few days this week. W. H. Blythe sold Minter Boulware of near Centralia 100 hogs to be delivered Thursday. John Brown returned to Stoddard county after a few weeks' visit with his sister, Mrs. Sumner Davis, and other relatives. Gillis Wilson of Salisbury is visiting his sister here, Mrs. Harvey Stewart.

Tax Collector's Notice

I will meet the Tax Payers of Audrain county at the following places in 1914:

Friendship, Thurs., Nov. 12.
Macedonia School, Fri., Nov. 13.
Centralia, Mon., Nov. 16.
Sturgeon, Tues., Nov. 17.
Martinsburg, Wed., Thurs., Nov. 18-19.
Benton City, Fri., Nov. 20.
Gant, Sat., Nov. 21.
Laddonia, Mon., Tues., Wed., Nov. 23-24-25.
Rush Hill, Fri., Nov. 27.
Farber, Mon., Nov. 30.
Mt. Carmel, Tues., Dec. 1.
Dec. 2-3-4.

S. A. PULIS,
Collector of Audrain County, Mo.

Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, \$1.00 each. Six for \$5.00. Mrs. W. H. McCue, Molino, Mo. 3t

Theo. Selb and Jewell Bybee sold their fine corn they had on display last week to B. R. Middleton. The latter will plant it for a crop next year.

Judge John Beagles lost a horse from fodder poisoning last week.

Lee Bros. of this city sold over 100 head of horses last week that will be shipped across the Atlantic to be used by the armies of Europe.

Albert Harrison, near Benton City, had 22 steers on the St. Louis market last week which averaged 1076 pounds and brought him \$10.25.

S. P. Dubray, near Worcester, lost two mules recently from fodder poisoning.

Mrs. H. B. Barks is in Columbia to visit her daughter, Miss Mary Barks, who is teaching in Christian College.

HOLLENSVILLE NEWS

Mr. Crawford Sells Land—A Wedding Anniversary Celebrated

Hollensville, Mo., Nov. 9.—At the Emmons' Shorthorn sale last week J. L. Carpenter bought two heifers for \$100.

J. G. Crawford recently sold 100 acres of land north of the road, of the Crawford place, to O. E. Howard at \$50 per acre. He also sold 40 acres which he owned of the Callaway place, west of Hollensville, for \$60 per acre to Lewis and Warren Callaway.

McGee Bros. hauled 300 bushels of wheat to Mexico last week at \$1.02 per bu.

J. G. Crawford bought 60 head of light yearling cattle at St. Louis recently at a little less than \$5 per cwt.

October 28th was J. L. Carpenter and wife's twenty-fifth wedding anniversary and their children gave them a surprise by inviting about 75 of their relatives and near neighbors to spend the evening. It was a delightful time. Ice cream and cake was served. At a late hour the crowd departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter many more wedding anniversaries.

O. T. Canthorn sold two calves to McGowan Bros. at 71-2 cents per cwt.

F. L. McGee and wife entertained 30 of the young people of this vicinity last Saturday evening. Miss Sudie Winn, teacher of Gatewood school, won the three prizes offered in the three contests held during the evening. Yet some people say there is "nothing in a name."

Miss Fannie Edge of near Molino returned Wednesday from Cushing, Ohio, where she had been at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Palmer, who was ill of typhoid. She left Mrs. Palmer improving. She found Cushing a thriving oil town.

The W. M. S. are having an interesting series of meetings at the Methodist church all this week. Brazil and the schools at Rio de Janeiro are apical topics.

For Sale—Brown Leghorn pullets. Mrs. Bessie Campbell, Molino, Mo. R. F. D. No. 2.

Dr. H. E. Tralle, of Hardin College, lectured one day last week on a Sunday school subject at a Round-Up event in Cooper county.

Miss Alma Shoush of this city, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Shoush, has offered her services to the Baptist Church as a foreign missionary.

Mrs. J. W. Million is attending the National Woman's Suffrage Convention at Nashville, Tenn.

Robert Carpenter, 28 years old, a brother of Charles Carpenter of this city, died in St. Louis last week.

An ordinance is before the City Council providing for the opening of a 40 foot drive way on the east side of Hardin Park.

Mr. Harry Miller of Wells-ville and Miss Iva Sonders were married in Mexico last week. Rev. W. A. Shullenberger officiating.

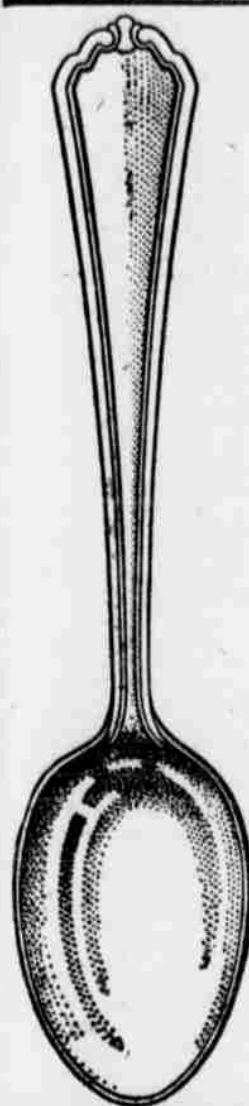
Miss Lillie Hendrix enjoyed a visit last week from Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Murry of Nevada, Mo.

Alvin Beamer of Molino received first prize—which is a trip to Columbia during Farmers' week—in the Stock-Judging Contest held in Mexico last week. There were about twenty-five entries.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore have christened their little son, which arrived on the 19th ult., Alfred Earl.

CHICAGO & ALTON RY.

TIME TABLE	
EAST BOUND—	
Train, No. 24, "Early Bird" for St. Louis	Leave 3:05 a.m.
No. 12, "Fast Express" for Peoria, Springfield and Chicago	4:00 a.m.
No. 36, Daily for Chicago	8:00 a.m.
No. 16, Missouri State Express for Peoria, Springfield and Bloomington	1:20 p.m.
No. 22, "Red Flyer" for St. Louis	2:50 p.m.
No. 10, "Red Hummer" to Jacksonville and Chicago	10:52 p.m.
WEST BOUND—	
No. 23, Early Bird to Kansas City	1:30 a.m.
No. 9, Red Hummer to Kansas City	3:05 a.m.
No. 195, Ex. Sunday Local freight for St. Louis	7:20 a.m.
No. 11, Fast Express to Kansas City	8:35 a.m.
No. 21, Red Flyer to Kansas City	12:40 p.m.
No. 15, Missouri State Express for Kansas City	2:40 p.m.
No. 37, Daily from Chicago	7:45 p.m.
JEFFERSON CITY BRANCH—	
SOUTH BOUND—Departs	
No. 243, Daily Jefferson City mail	8:45 a.m.
No. 211, Ex Sunday Jefferson City Accom.	3:00 p.m.
FROM THE SOUTH—	
No. 210, Ex Sunday Jefferson City Mail	12:15 p.m.
No. 212, Daily Jefferson City Accom.	6:15 p.m.
T. L. MARSHALL,	
Tkt. Agt., Mexico, Mo.	



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Leaves Mexico	Leaves Molino
7:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
1:30 p.m. (freight trip)	2:30 p.m.
4:00 p.m.	4:45 p.m.
Sunday Schedule	
Leaves Mexico	Leaves Molino
8:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:30 p.m.
4:00 p.m.	
J. D. Bates, Supt.	

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Mayor J. W. Dry will ask the County Court for a more liberal allowance to take care of the city's poor this winter.